

LUCKY THIRTEEN DAYS.

In Them Sch. Mary E. Hartly
Gets Stock of \$7604.

Crew Shared \$188 44 Each for
Their Labors.

One of the best stocks of the season, considering the length of time employed, was made by sch. Mary E. Hartly, Capt. Charles H. Hartly, which was at Boston yesterday and landed 7500 fresh mackerel and later came to this port with 240 barrels of salt mackerel.

A few days ago, Capt. Hartly made Boston with a big fare of fresh mackerel. He came right down here and took out what few salt mackerel he had on board and then went right out without waiting to settle up.

That trip and the one completed yesterday were made in just 13 days, and on them the vessel made the splendid stock of \$7604, the crew sharing \$188.44.

This gives Capt. Hartly a stock of nearly \$22,000 thus far this season and puts him right up where he belongs, in the very front rank.

Sch. Marguerite Haskins, Capt. Benjamin Spurling, arrived at Boston this noon with 200 barrels salt mackerel and 100 barrels of fresh mackerel.

Sept. 1st.

Horse Mackerel Plenty.

Horse mackerel are plenty at Provincetown, the biggest school of the season having struck in yesterday.

Capt. "Jim" Lewis came in first, bringing 14 of the creatures from his weirs. His lot was made up of adult specimens, the largest of the bunch tipping the scales at 550 pounds after removal of head, tail and viscera.

Next came Capt. Manuel D. James, bringing one only, a 400-pounder. The Conwell Bros. trap yielded seven small-sized horse mackerel, while Capt. David Blatchford brought in nine.

Capt. Fred Lewis of the steam weir boat George Leslie, however, found an abundance of the huge creatures within each of his two traps, he taking 24 from the first one visited and 30 from the other.

In all 85 horse mackerel were landed by five crews.

What the Fishermen Endure.

The little fishing sch. Madonna, from the halibut grounds of the north, came into port Sunday afternoon pretty well laden with a catch and bearing David Welch of Yarmouth, N. S., who had broken his leg in a heavy cable while on the banks.

In the forecabin of the little malodorous craft with no medical attendance worth speaking of, and the broken leg growing worse from day to day, the plucky little sailorman lay uncomplainingly, waiting for the welcome cry of "port." The cry came yesterday afternoon, and the rest of the men did not forget what torments their mate had suffered in the long trip to Boston, carried him tenderly to the ambulance waiting on the wharf, which took him in turn to the Haymarket relief station.—Boston Advertiser.

Herring Strike the Maine Coast.

Sch. M. J. Sewell, Capt. Look, arrived at Portland Saturday with 150 barrels of herring which were sold to W. H. Shurtleff & Co., Union wharf. The herring were taken in the vicinity of Jonesport and are the first of the season to arrive at that port. It is a little early in the season to predict the prospects for the catch of herring but it is now thought that there will be a good number of the fish taken. The lot were fine looking specimens of fish.

LAST YEAR MAY BE BEAT.

Salt Mackerel Receipts Now
Up to Last Season.

BIG BRACE MADE LATELY.

Fine Fares from Maine Coast
Save the Day.

The catch of salt mackerel thus far for the season of 1903 is about 32,500 barrels. Last year at this time it was practically the same amount, or near enough so that one could say in a general way that the catch this year thus far was up to that of last season at this time.

Last year at this time, receipts were somewhat light, 160 barrels being the best trip, and sales were at \$18.50 per barrel for salt tinker mackerel and \$16.50 for large rimmed fish.

Last year's total catch was 41,279 barrels.

DANDY STOCK.

Sch. Navahoe Gets \$4100 on Her
Recent Seining Trip.

Sch. Navahoe, Capt. Martin Welch, stocked \$4100 on her recent seining trip, the crew sharing \$97.50. On the previous trip, the crew shared \$112.50, and both fares have been landed in quick time.

Capt. Welch is one of those quiet, unassuming fellows of the Capt. Elroy Prior stamp, who goes quietly along year after year, always rolling up a fine year's work. Equally well known as a seiner and haddock of the first water, he is one of those all-round skippers who are born fishermen, active and energetic and possessed of that most essential quality, good judgment.

GAVE UP THE TRIP.

Sch. Procyon Brought In a Lone
Ocean Voyager.

William Snyder of Boston, who left here recently to cross the Atlantic in a dory, was brought in here last week by sch. Procyon, having been picked up on Georges, willing to give up his undertaking.

LOTS OF BAIT.

Vessels Can Now Be Supplied at
Boothbay.

D. A. Greenlaw of Boothbay Harbor wires that there are 5000 bushels of large-sized herring in the traps there. This is good news for the shackers and market fishermen.

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Marguerite Haskins, Maine Coast, via Boston, 200 bbls. salt mackerel.
Sch. Manomet, Maine Coast, via Boston, 140 bbls. salt mackerel.
Sch. Sheffeyld, Rips, 40,000 lbs. cod.
Sch. Edith Emery, via Boston.
Sch. Mettacomet, via Boston.
Sch. Madonna, via Boston.

Today's Market.

Board of trade prices: Large handline Georges cod, \$4.25 per cwt. medium do., \$3.50; large trawl Georges, \$4.00; medium do., \$3.25; handline cod from deck, caught east of Cape Sable, \$4.00; medium do., \$3.25; large trawl qank cod, \$3.25; medium do., \$2.75; large dory handline cod, \$3.50; medium do., \$3.00.

Board of Trade splitting prices on fresh fish —All cod caught on Le Have Bank and to the westward, large \$2.05; medium, \$1.60; all cod caught to the eastward of Le Have Bank, large, \$2.05; medium, \$1.60; snapper cod fish, 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.40; haddock, 85 cts.; hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 50 cts.

Outside sales Georges cod, \$4.50 per hundred weight for large and \$3.50 for medium.

Outside sales Rips cod, \$4.15 per hundred weight for large and \$3.55 for medium.

Ipswich Bay pollock, 45 cts. per cwt.

Bank halibut, 8c per lb. for white and 5 1-2 cents for gray.

Fresh mackerel, 8 cts. each.

Salt mackerel rimmed \$14.25 per bbl., plain \$13.75 per bbl.

Boston.

Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 14,000 haddock, 32,000 cod, 1000 pollock, 6 swordfish.

Sch. Esther Gray, 4000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Gladys Sabra, 500 haddock, 15,000 cod 1500 pollock.

Sch. Two Sisters, 1500 cod, 1000 pollock.

Sch. Vesta, 5 swordfish.

Sch. Gardner W. Tarr, 1200 haddock, 7500 cod, 500 pollock.

Haddock, \$3 to \$3.50; large cod, \$3 to \$3.50; market cod, \$2 to \$2.50; pollock, \$1.50 to \$2; swordfish, 10c per lb.

Mackerel Notes.

Reports from the Magdalene islands reports poor mackerel fishing, and it is feared that the season there will be a failure.

Mackerel have struck in at Prospect, N. S. Sch. Evangeline was at Portland yesterday with 6000 pounds of fresh mackerel.

Sch. M. Madeleine was at Portland yesterday with 130 barrels of salt mackerel and 40 barrels of fresh mackerel, the latter selling at six cents a pound. She will bring her salt fish here.

Sch. Minerva sold her salt mackerel at Boston yesterday at \$13 per barrel, rimmed.

Capt. James Hayes is fitting sch. Admiral Dewey for seining.

Sept. 2nd.

COULD GET NO BAIT.

Schs. Colonial and Helen G. Wells
Came Home.

Schs. Colonial and Helen G. Wells, two of the shack fleet which have been for five or six weeks on a search for bait at Nova Scotia and Newfoundland and were unable to find any, arrived home yesterday afternoon without being able to do any fishing. Their captains report no squid at Newfoundland or on the bank.

Caught Herring.

Heath's trap took 17 barrels of good sized herring yesterday.

A Big Swordfish.

Sch. Nokomis brought in a big swordfish this morning. It weighed nearly 700 pounds dressed.